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AMBETA-1 reported to case officer, that several days ago he had a discussion with Manolo RAY. Case officer asked if the discussion centered around the "important announcement" RAY is supposed to make. AMBETA-1 felt it might because RAY said that shortly he was going to propose that for total PORUMEN unity a military junta be composed of all the counterrevolutionary groups in Miami, each having a vote in the junta. Also that a group of PORUMEN advisors would be formed as a separate entity but contiguous to the PORUMEN unified effort. These advisors would be composed of former professional men of all categories (lawyers, economists, engineers, etc.) but such group would not have a vote in the junta nor would they control the junta. AMBETA-1, assumed from RAY's conversation, that should such a proposal by RAY obtain support, the junta would then ask for US support. If they would not receive US help, they would search elsewhere. It wasn't clear in what manner they expected US help, i.e., material and or manpower or just material.

No doubt RAY's upcoming announcement has been discussed in the PORUMEN community, because AMICE-8 asked AMBUD-1 what he thought of the proposal. AMBUD-1 was reported to have said he didn't like it and it would further divide the PORUMEN element in the JMWAVE area.

AMBETA-1 said that RAY is scheduled to speak tonight but that AMBETA-1 doesn't know if the proposal will be made at that time. It was AMICE-3's feeling that such a proposal will gain support of many groups.

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